

JENNINGS OF LONDON

ARMS:*Argent a chevron gules between three plummets sable

CREST:

William Jennings of Tenby, Pembs c1417-
m Eleanor Lane dau and coheir of William Lane of Wolverhampton\$ c1392-.... QV
(Bailiff, Staple of Wolverhampton) 1483

chn: John Jennings b c1446; m ; (and had chn)

Stephen Jennings b c1448 Wolverhampton below

Sir Stephen Jennings of London Knight c1448-1523

b c1448 Wolverhampton

m1 Margaret

m2 Joan

m3 p1501 Margaret Kirton dau of William Kirton [VIS.NORTHANTS.1618-9 184]; (but had no chn); m1 William Buck; (and had chn: William (of London citizen and merchant-taylor; Will (...) 13 Oct 1514 [abstract *1614/64 224]), Agnes m Christopher Rawson c1488-.... QV); d 1515; i St Mary Aldermanbury dead) 1522 hw

d 6 May 1523; i Grey Friars Church; M.I. [WGS 6]; Will (PCC, 8 Bodfelde) 29 Jan 1521.2/28 May 1523 [abstract below, printed in full in WGS 357-63]; Will (...) of land [see WGS 8]

(Freeman, Fraternity of Taylors and Linen-Armourers of St John the Baptist in the City of London, then Master) 1489

(of London citizen and merchant-taylor)

(founder Wolverhampton Free Grammar School) a22 Sep 1512

(Sheriff, London) 1498

(Alderman, Castle Baynard Ward, London) 24 Oct 1499

(Alderman, Downgate Ward, London) 27 Nov 1505

(Alderman, Lime Street Ward, London) May 1508-d

(Lord Mayor, London) 1508-9

chn:

[?] Catherine Jennings [coheir] b c1484; m John Nechells of London c1479-a1531 QV

Elizabeth Jennings [coheir] b c1486; m Stalworth; (and had chn: Margaret)

I, STEVYN JENYNS Knyght Citezein and Alderman of London to be buried in ... the quere of the Conuentuall Church of the Freres Minors of London under the tombe that I have there prepared ... ***my wifes soules ...to Symond Jenyns xx li. ... to my sonne in law John Michell [recte Nichell]... to my cosyn [i.e. granddaughter] Johane daughter of the same John M. to my cosyn [i.e. granddaughter] Margaret Stalworth daughter of my daughter Elizabeth ... [both grandaus underage and unmarried] ... to Margaret Goodrick ... to Margaret Leek ... thother childern of John Kirton and xpofer Rawson ... to Stevyn Kyrton myn apprentrice executors: John Nychill my sonne in law; John Kyrton gentilman .. overseer: trusty frende John Baker gentilman [*** his wives are unnamed in his will but in the will of John Bennett of London citizen and merchant-taylor dated 24 Jan 1527.8 they are named as Margaret, Joan and Margaret]

Elsewhere reference is made to Sir Stephen Jenyns, Dame Margaret his wife, and John Nicholls her[sic] son ... SCHOOLS 274

JENNINGS OF CHURCH EATON, STAFFS

ARMS:

CREST:

William Jennings (Rector of Church Eaton, Staffs) c1555-1642

m Ann; i *as widow of William* 6 Feb 1642.3 Church Eaton

i 20 May 1642 Church Eaton; Will *of Bradley* (Lichfield) 11 Jun 1642

(ordained by Chester)
(illegally Rector, Church Eaton, Staffs) 3 Dec 1579
- (illegally presented, by the Crown)
("Scholaris ruralis et mediocriter doctus". A preacher, rectory worth £2/19/0 pa)
1604
(Rector, Church Eaton, Staffs) 26 Feb 1584.5
- (presented by the Crown) 30 Jun 1584
(Priest-in-charge, Gnosall, Staffs) 3 Nov 1613
[CHURCH EATON: (as clerk) ? 1595 W; 1617 0 W: 1621 PR; 1622 w; 1623 w; 1624 a
(Ronton); 1625 w]

chn: John Jennings c 18 Apr 1585 Church Eaton below
Richard Jennings c 18 Dec 1586 Church Eaton below
William Jennings c 25 Jan 1588.9 Church Eaton below
Ann Jennings c 11 Jan 1590.1 Church Eaton; m 9 Jan 1609.10 Church Eaton:
Pendrill Goldsmith of Masb..., Cheshire; m2 22 Apr 1617 Church Eaton: Godfrey
Chetwynd of Ingestre, Staffs c1575-.... QV
Thomas Jennings c 4 Jan 1591.2 Church Eaton
Walter Jennings c 24 Feb 1592.3 Church Eaton
Walter Jennings c 10 Feb 1593.4 Church Eaton; m ? *as of Nantwich* 13 Oct 1615
Church Eaton: Margery ?Booth of Audley
Eleanor Jennings c 22 Mar 1597.8 Church Eaton; m 27 Jan 1621.2 Church Eaton:
Ralph Horne
Catherine Jennings c 8 Oct 1601 Church Eaton; m 22 Aug 1639 (by licence) Church
Eaton: Thomas Gilford of Westchester, Cheshire
Elizabeth Jennings c 27 Feb 1603.4 Church Eaton

John Jennings of Apeton in Bradley§ 1585-
c 18 Apr 1585 Church Eaton
m 4 Jun 1621 (with Mr. Fletcher's consent) Church Eaton: Alice Perry of Bradley§
chn: Ann Jennings c 24 Jun 1625 Church Eaton; [? NOTE: Mrs. Anne Genians i 28 May
1654 Gnosall]

Richard Jennings of Church Eaton, Staffs 1586-1656
c 18 Dec 1586 Church Eaton
m 6 Nov 1604 Church Eaton: Joan Astley of Church Eaton, Staffs
i 28 Jun 1656 Church Eaton
chn: Edward Jennings c 27 Dec 1609 Church Eaton

William Jennings of Church Eaton, Staffs 1589-1656
c 25 Jan 1588.9 Church Eaton
m Elizabeth; i *as wife of William senior* 19 Jan 1655.6 Church Eaton
i *as senior* 18 Mar 1655.6 Church Eaton
chn: [?] William Jennings b c1613 below
Richard Jennings c 18 Apr 1621 Church Eaton; i 24 Jul 1621 Church Eaton

William Jennings (Rector of Church Eaton, Staffs) c1613-1673
m1 Elizabeth; d 25 Jan 1660.1 Pillington PR; i *as wife of William clerk* 28 Jan
1660.1 Church Eaton
m2 Theodosia Bradshaw
d 16 Dec 1673 PR; i 19 Dec 1673 Church Eaton

[? (B.A., 1634 Oriel College, Oxford) 1634 (Foster)]
(as Curate of Church Eaton, M.A., Schoolmaster, Church Eaton) 8 Aug 1638
(Rector, Church Eaton, Staffs) 2 Jun 1642-d?
(Signed the testimony) 1648
(certified the fitness of candidates for the ministry) 1655
(paid a subsidy of £1/10/0) 1661
(subscribed) 12 Aug 1662
(licensed preacher at Church Eaton) Dec 1663

(as Mr Jennings clerk, 4 hearths, Church Eaton and certifier) 1666 HT

chn: Elizabeth Jennings b 22 Aug 1646 PR; c 3 Sep 1646 Church Eaton
Dorothy Jennings b 28 Mar 1647.8 PR; c 3 Apr 1648 Church Eaton [? m 1674
Gnosall: Ralph Macclesfield of Shushions in Church Eaton, Staffs c1643-....

QV]

Walter Jennings c 12 Dec 1650 Church Eaton below

[2] Theodosia Jennings c 13 Oct 1664 Church Eaton; m Robert Cooper of
Wolverhampton,

Staffs apothecary; (and had chn: Elizabeth c 17 Aug 1691 Wolverhampton; m1 19
Oct 1712 Penn: Thomas Jevon of Sedgley 1689-1717 QV; m2 22 May 1721 Sedgley:
Thomas Shadwell of Albrighton, Salop c1689-.... QV)

Mary Jennings b 16 Aug 1666 PR; c 13 Sep 1666 Church Eaton

Walter Jennings of Church Eaton, Staffs clerk 1650-a1724

c 12 Dec 1650

m 18 Oct 1678 Sarah Skrymsher dau of Walter Skrymsher of Orslow in Church Eaton,
Staffs; Will (Lichfield)/1740 *mentions sons in law John Jervis and Abraham
Bracebridge and grandchildren Abraham, Walter, Elizabeth and Mary B.*

Will (Lichfield)/1724 *mentions daus Elizabeth Jervis and Mary Bracebridge,
executor: wife Sarah*

(M.A., Brasenose College, Oxford) 1674

(Rector, Church Eaton, Staffs) 20 Jan 1674.5-d?

- (presented by Thomas Chetwynd armiger)

chn: Elizabeth Jennings [1] [coheir] b 26 Jun 1679 PR; c 14 Jul 1679 Church Eaton;
m1

Richard Moore of Netherseal, Leics; (but had no chn); m2 20 Jun 1723:

John Jervis of Darlaston 1670-1746; (but had no chn); d 14 May 1770 aged 90

Mary Jennings [2] [coheir] m (as his 2nd wife) Abraham Bracebridge of
Atherstone

Esquire c164-... QV; (and had chn: Abraham, Walter, Elizabeth, Mary)

*In memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Jervis, the widow of John Jervis, late of Darlaston, in
this county, Esquire, deceased. She was the eldest daughter of Walter Jennings,
Clerk, late Rector of this Church, by Sarah, one of the daughters and co-heirs of
Walter Skrymsher Esq. heretofore of Orslow, in this parish. She died on the 14th day
of May, 1770 in the ninety-first year of her age. Adam Bracebridge, her nephew and
heir, caused this monument to be erected. [SHC IV 49]*

[VIS.1614-64 270 note]

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CHURCH EATON FAMILIES

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